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Rhododendron catawbiense. See page 11

Wholesale Trade-List

Hardy and Rare Broad-leaved Evergreens, Ornamental Trees, Shrubs, Vines, Ferns, and Herbaceous Plants of the Blue Ridge Mountains

Tall and Spring **1927-1928**

GARDENS OF THE BLUE RIDGE

E. C. ROBBINS

Special Ornamental Nurseryman and Collector

ASHFORD, McDowell County

NORTH CAROLINA

Member American Association of Nurserymen

NOTICE CHANGE OF ADDRESS. Mr. E. C. Robbins begs to announce that he has removed Gardens of the Blue Ridge, from Pineola, N. C., to Ashford, McDowell County, N. C., where he has enlarged facilities for serving his clients, and requests that all correspondence in the future be sent to the new address.



The celebrated Blue Ridge Mountains, near Ashford, N. C.

NOTE TO CUSTOMERS

Usually we commence filling fall orders about September 1, our season extending to about December 1. Spring shipments usually begin about March 1, continuing until late in May. Be sure to give full shipping instructions.

5 at 10 rate, 25 at 100 rate, 250 at 1,000 rate

MY NEW LOCATION

In the Blue Ridge Mountains, "the most beautiful mountain region of the continent," in western North Carolina, nearly 4,000 feet above sea-level. My new business headquarters is Ashford, McDowell County, North Carolina, on the famous scenic Clinchfield Railroad.

All offers of stock are made subject to conditions beyond my control

PACKING AND GRADING

Will be done in the most careful way. Boxing and burlapping, where not included, is charged at cost. Certificate of Inspection attached to all shipments.

OUOTATIONS

This list cancels all previous offers.

REMITTANCE OR REFERENCE

Should accompany orders from unknown correspondents. Discount of 5 per cent on cash orders. All bills due and payable 30 days from date of invoice, unless otherwise arranged, and interest will be charged at rate of 6 per cent.

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We do not guarantee that stock will grow, whether planted by us or not, as we have no control over after-treatment or weather conditions. The purchaser must assume all risks

after stock leaves our Nursery in good condition.

ALL ORDERS

Are accepted and filled on these terms. Unequaled quality, quantity, service, and low price awaiting first come, first served.

MY SUPPLY AND FACILITIES ARE UNEQUALED. Grading and packing always held to the highest standard in quality, with more than thirty-five years' constant experience growing and handling hardy native ornamentals.

Entrust your orders for plants of the Southland to our experience and unequaled Collecting Fields and permanent organization. Beware of amateurs springing up like

mushrooms over night, who think they know and know not.



Azalea arborescens

Hardy Native Deciduous Trees and Shrubs

Each	10	100	1,000
ACER saccharum. Sugar Maple. 1 to 2 feet. Trans. 2 to 3 feet. Trans. 3 to 4 feet. Trans. 4 to 6 feet. Trans. 6 to 8 feet. Trans.	5 5 50	\$12 00 20 00 35 00 47 50	
ALNUS viridis. European Green Alder. Rare. 2 to 3 feet. Trans. 75 3 to 4 feet. Trans. 1 00			
AMELANCHIER lævis. Allegheny Service Berry.			
1 to 2 feet. Trans. 50 2 to 3 feet. Trans. 50 3 to 4 feet. Trans. 75 4 to 6 feet. Trans. 1 00 6 to 8 feet. Trans. 1 25	6 00 8 50	20 00 35 00 50 00 75 00	
ARALIA spinosa. Devil's Walking Stick.			
6 to 12 inches. Trans	1 75 2 50	15 00	
ARONIA melanocarpa. Black Chokeberry. 1 to 2 feet. Strong trans	2 75	22 50	\$200 00
AZALEA arborescens. Sweet White Azalea.			
6 to 12 inches. Strong trans	12 50 7 50 22 50	40 00 75 00 115 00 70 00 200 00	380 00 725 00 1000 00 650 00

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Azalea calendulacea

HARDY NATIVE DECIDUOUS TREES AND SHRUBS, continued

Azalea calendulacea. Flame Azalea. Each 6 to 12 inches. Strong trans. plants. \$0 65 10 to 18 inches. Strong trans. plants. \$5 9 to 12 inches. Extra-strong trans. clumps B&B. 1 00 12 to 18 inches. Extra-strong trans. clumps B&B. 1 25 1½ to 2 feet. Extra-strong trans. clumps B&B. 1 50 2 to 3 feet. Extra-strong trans. clumps B&B. 1 75 1 to 2 feet. Extra-grade coll. clumps B&B. 7 2 to 3 feet. Extra-grade coll. clumps B&B. 1 00 3 to 4 feet. Extra-grade coll. clumps B&B. 1 50 NOTE.—Our source of supply is unequaled on this item.	10 \$5 00 7 50 9 00 11 00 13 50 16 50 6 00 8 50 12 50	100 \$45 00 67 50 85 00 100 00 125 00 150 00 75 00 100 00	1,000 \$425 00 650 00 825 00 975 00 500 00 725 00 950 00
canescens (A. rosea). Piedmont Azalea. Rare and excellent species, similar to A. raseyi. We are head uarters for this splendid Azalea.			
6 to 12 inches. Heavy trans. bushy plants 1 to 2 feet. Heavy trans. bushy plants 75 9 to 12 inches. Extra-heavy trans. clumps B&B. 85 12 to 18 inches. Extra-heavy trans. clumps B&B 1 00 18 to 24 inches. Specimen trans. clumps B&B 1 35 1½ to 2½ feet. Extra-grade coll. clumps B&B nudiflora. Pinxter Bloom. A handsome, early, free-flowering, deep pink species; very	4 50 6 00 7 50 9 00 12 50 6 00	40 00 50 00 65 00 85 00 100 00 50 00	375 00 625 00 825 00 450 00
profuse and showy. 6 to 12 inches. Strong trans. plants	4 50 6 00 7 50 10 00 15 00	40 00 50 00 65 00 85 00	375 00 625 00
viscosa. Small White Swamp Azalea. 6 to 12 inches. Trans	5 00 8 00 10 00	45 00 75 00 90 00	425 00



Azalea vaseyi

HARDY NATIVE DECIDUOUS TREES AND SHRUBS, continued

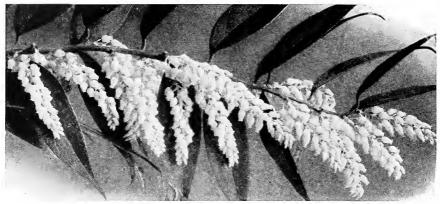
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Azalea vaseyi. Pink-shell Azalea. A distinct and remarkably free-flowering hardy shrub, extremely rare and beautiful. The flowers are of an exquisite shade of pink or rose, appearing in great profusion before the leaves unfold in early spring. Very attractive.	10	100	1,000
3 to 6 inches. Trans. plants	7 50 12 50	\$50 00 70 00 110 00 135 00	\$675 00
BETULA populifolia. Gray Birch. 1 to 2 feet. Trans	3 00 4 00	20 00 30 00	
CARPINUS caroliniana. American Hornbeam. 1 to 2 feet. Trans	3 50 15 00	25 00	
CASTANEA dentata. American Chestnut. 6 to 12 inches. Nursery-grown seedlings 1 to 2 feet. Nursery-grown seedlings	1 25 1 75	10 00 15 00	
CHIONANTHUS virginica. White Fringe. 6 to 12 inches. Strong nursery-grown seedlings 1 to 2 feet. Strong trans	1 00 3 00	7 50 25 00	
CLETHRA acuminata. Cinnamon Clethra. 6 to 12 inches. Trans	2 00 3 00	16 00 25 00	



Azalea canescens. See page 4

HARDY NATIVE DECIDUOUS TREES AND S	HRUBS,	continue	l
COMPTONIA asplenifolia. Sweet Fern. Each 6 to 12 inches. Trans	h 10 \$1 75	100 \$15 00	1,000
CORNUS florida. Flowering Dogwood. 6 to 12 inches. Trans	1 25 2 00	10 00 17 50	
CORYLUS rostrata. Beaked Hazelnut. 1 to 2 feet. Trans	2 50		
CYTISUS scoparius. Scotch Broom. 9 to 18 inches. Nursery-grown seedlings	1 50	12 00	
GENISTA tinctoria. Woadwaxen. 6 to 12 inches. Strong nursery-grown seedlings	1 50	12 50	\$100 00
HALESIA tetraptera. Great Silver Bell. 6 to 12 inches. Trans	2 00 3 50	18 00	
HAMAMELIS virginiana. Common Witch-hazel. 4 to 12 inches. Nursery-grown seedlings	1 00	8 00	75 00
HYDRANGEA arborescens. Smooth Hydrangea. 1 to 2 feet. Heavy trans	1 50 2 00	12 00 17 50	100 00 150 00
paniculata. Panicle Hydrangea. Very showy. 6 to 12 inches. Strong trans	2 00 4 00 6 50	17 50 35 00 60 00	
12 to 18 inches. Strong trans. Choice plants, but little found in cultivation	2 00	18 00	
HYPERICUM aureum. Golden StJohn's-wort. 6 to 12 inches. Trans	1 75	15 00	
1 to 2 feet. X strong coll	1 25	8 00	75 00
1 to 2 feet. X strong coll	1 75	15 00	
ILEX monticola. Mountain Winterberry. 6 to 12 inches. Trans. 1 to 2 feet. Trans. 2 to 3 feet. Strong trans. \$0 50 3 to 4 feet. Strong trans.		12 00 17 50 30 00	

HARDY NATIVE DECIDUOUS TREES AND SH	RUBS,	continued	
MENZIESIA pilosa.Allegheny Menziesia.Each1 to 2 feet.Strong trans.\$0 402 to 3 feet.X strong trans.603 to 4 feet.X strong trans.75	10 \$3 00 5 00 6 50	100	1,000
OXYDENDRUM arboreum. Sourwood. 6 to 12 inches. Strong trans. 1 to 2 feet. Strong trans. 2 to 3 feet. Strong trans. 40 3 to 4 feet. Strong trans. 60 6 to 7 feet. Extra-strong trans. 1 50	1 50 2 00 3 50 5 00 12 50	\$12 00 17 00 30 00	
PLATANUS occidentalis. American Plane Tree. 6 to 12 inches. Trans	1 75 2 50	15 00 20 00	
POPULUS tremuloides. Quaking Aspen. 1 to 2 feet. Coll	1 75	15 00	
RHUS canadensis. Fragrant Sumac. 6 to 12 inches. Trans 1 to 2 feet. Trans copallina. Shining Sumac.	1 75 2 50	15 00 20 00	
6 to 12 inches. Trans	1 25 1 75	10 00 15 00	
1 to 2 feet. Strong trans	1 75 2 50	15 00 20 00	\$140 00
ROBINIA hispida. Rose Acacia. 1 to 2 feet	2 00	17 50	150 00
RUBUS odoratus. Flowering Raspberry. 6 to 12 inches. Trans	1 25 1 75	10 00 15 00	85 00 145 00
SAMBUCUS pubens. Scarlet Elder. 1 to 2 feet. Extra-strong trans	1 75 2 75	16 00 25 00	150 00 240 00
SASSAFRAS variifolium (S. officinale). Common	1 50	12.00	
6 to 12 inches. Strong trans	1 50	12 00	
6 to 12 inches. Trans	1 75 3 00 4 00	15 00 25 00	
SPIRÆA vanhouttei. 2 to 3 feet. Strong trans	4 00		
VACCINIUM pallidum. Blue Ridge Blueberry. Best of all Blueberries.			
1 to 2 feet. X strong trans. B&B	6 00 7 50 8 50 5 00	50 00 65 00 80 00 45 00	425 00
stamineum. Deerberry. 1 to 2 feet. Strong trans	4 50 6 00		
VIBURNUM cassinoides. Withe-rod. 1 to 2 feet. Strong trans 2 to 3 feet. Extra-strong trans 3 to 4 feet. Extra-strong trans	4 50 5 00 7 00	40 00 45 00 60 00	
ZANTHORHIZA apiifolia. Yellow-root. 3 to 6 inches. Trans	1 00 1 25	7 50 10 00	65 00 90 00



Leucothoe catesbæi. See page 9

Hardy Native Evergreen Trees and Shrubs

FL	10	100	1 000
ABIES fraseri. Fraser Fir. 3 to 6 inches. Trans	\$1 00	\$7 00	1,000 \$65 00
6 to 9 inches. Trans	1 50	12 00	110 00
9 to 12 inches. Trans	2 25	20 00	110 00
3 to 5 inches. Nursery-grown seedlings	2 2)	3 50	25 00
		3 50	22 00
BUXUS sempervirens. Common Box.	4 00	25.00	225 00
3 to 6 inches. Extra nice B&B	4 00	35 00	325 00
6 to 9 inches. Extra nice B&B	5 50	50 00	
ILEX glabra. Inkberry. 6 to 12 inches. Trans. B&B.	3 50	30 00	275 00
6 to 9 inches. Lighter grade for lining out	1 50	12 50	120 00
opaca. American Holly.			
3 to 6 inches. Strong trans	1 50	11 00	100 00
6 to 12 inches. Strong trans	2 50	22 00	
JUNIPERUS communis hibernica. Irish Juniper.			
2 to 3 feet. Extra select B&B4 00	35 00	325 00	
3 to 4 feet. Extra select B&B	45 00		
KALMIA angustifolia. Lambkill.			
6 to 12 inches. Strong trans	2 00	18 00	
12 to 18 inches. Strong trans. B&B	$4\ 00$	35 00	
latifolia. Mountain Laurel.			
3 to 6 inches. Strong trans	1 50	12 50	100 00
6 to 12 inches. Strong trans	2 25	18 00	175 00
6 to 9 inches. X stocky trans. clumps B&B 85	7 50	70 00	675 00
9 to 12 inches. XX stocky trans. specimen			
clumps. Spread about equal to height 1 25	10 00	90 00	885 00
12 to 18 inches. XXX trans. specimen clumps.			
B&B. Spread about equal to height 1 65	13 50	125 00	1200 00
18 to 24 inches. XXX trans. specimen clumps,	45.50	465.00	4605.00
B&B. Spread about equal to height 1 90	17 50	165 00	1625 00
2 to 3 feet. XXX trans. specimen clumps,	21 50	210.00	
B&B. Spread about equal to height 2 35	21 50	210 00	
1 to 2 feet. Coll. stocky clumps. Good quality	7 00	62.50	600 00
B&B	7 00	62 50	000 00
2 to 3 feet. Coll. stocky clumps. Good quality	8 50	80 00	775 00
B&B	0 90	80 00	775 00
B&B	15 00	140 00	1350 00
4 to 5 feet. Coll. stocky clumps. X good quality	15 00	140 00	1350 00
B&B 3 00	26 50	250 00	2450 00
5 to 6 feet. Coll. stocky clumps. X good quality	20 00	200 00	2420 00
B&B	45 00	420 00	
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Each Each	10	100	1,000
LEIOPHYLLUM buxifolium. Sand Myrtle. 3 to 6 inches. Strong trans	\$2 25 4 00 5 50	\$20 00 37 50 50 00	\$190 00 365 00
Strong clumps, 2 to 3-inch spread. Trans Strong clumps, 3 to 6-inch spread. Trans B&B	2 00 3 00	16 00 25 00	150 00 245 00
LEUCOTHOE catesbæi. Drooping Leucothoe. One of our best decorative plants. Succeeds well under varied conditions and steadily growing in demand.			
3 to 6 inches. Strong trans	1 50 2 25 4 00	12 00 21 00 37 50	115 00 200 00 365 00
9 to 12 inches. X strong trans. clumps B&B 75 12 to 18 inches. X strong trans. clumps B&B 1 00 1½ to 2 feet. X strong trans. clumps B&B 1 35 6 to 12 inches. Coll. for lining out	6 00 8 00 12 50 1 00	55 00 75 00 115 00 7 00	525 00 725 00 65 00
1 to 2 feet. X grade coll. for lining out	1 50 1 50 6 00 7 50	11 00 50 00 65 00	100 00 475 00 625 00
NOTE.—Our source of supply is the best ever on this item. Let us figure on your requirements in ample time to avoid disappointment.			
PICEA excelsa. Norway Spruce. 3 to 5 inches. Nursery-grown seedlings 6 to 12 inches. Strong trans. B&B	75 5 00	5 00 45 00	45 00
mariana. Black Spruce. 3 to 6 inches. Strong trans 6 to 12 inches. Strong trans	1 50 2 00	12 00 16 00	110 00 150 00
pungens. Colorado Spruce. 3 to 5 inches. Nursery-grown seedlings 3 to 6 inches. Strong trans 6 to 9 inches. Strong trans. B&B	1 00 2 00 4 50	7 50 17 50 35 00	65 00



Planting of Rhododendron maximum. See page 12



Pieris floribunda

HARDY NATIVE	EVERGREEN	TREES	AND	SH	continued		
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	Each	10	100	1,000
PIERIS floribunda. Mountain Andromeda.		05 00	0.45 00	@40E 00
3 to 6 inches. Strong trans		\$5 00	\$45 00	\$425 00
6 to 9 inches. X strong trans. clumps B&B. Spread about equal to height		8 00	75 00	725 00
9 to 12 inches. XX strong trans. clumps B&B.		0 00	75 00	125 00
Spread about equal to height\$	1 35	12 00	110 00	1000 00
12 to 18 inches. XX strong trans. clumps B&B	1 75	15 00	135 00	
1½ to 2 feet. X quality coll. clumps B&B.	4 00	0.00	5 0.00	c c o 00
Spread about equal to height	1 00	8 00	70 00	650 00
Spread about equal to height	1 50	12 50	115 00	1100 00
NOTE.—Special price promptly quoted for carload shipments	1 00	12 00	115 00	1100 00
in best collected stock. We have approximately 100,000 extra-				
grade clumps of this rare and beautiful evergreen shrub and hope to have the pleasure of furnishing your needs on this item.				
PINUS densiflora. Japanese Red Pine.				
6 to 12 inches. Trans. B&B		4 00	36 00	
12 to 18 inches. Trans. B&B		6 50	50 00	
flexilis. Limber Pine.				
1 to 2 feet. Trans. B&B	1 00	8 50		
strobus. White Pine.				
3 to 6 inches. Strong trans		1 00	8 00	75 00
6 to 12 inches. Extra-strong trans		1 50 3 50	11 00 30 00	100 00 275 00
2 to 3 feet. Extra-strong trans. B&B	1 00	8 50	75 00	275 00
3 to 4 feet. X strong trans. B&B		15 00	., 00	
4 to 5 feet. X strong trans. B&B		20 00		
thunbergi. Japanese Black Pine.				
6 to 12 inches. Trans. B&B		6 00	50 00	
RETINOSPORA pisifera. 3 to 6 inches. Trans		4 50	40 00	
6 to 9 inches. Trans. B&B		6 50	60 00	

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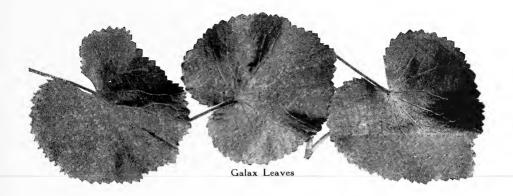


Rhododendron carolinianum

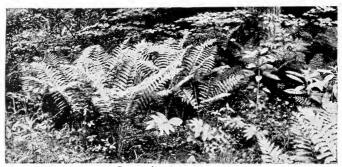
HARDY NATIVE EVERGREEN TREES AND SHRUBS, continued

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RHODODENDRON carolinianum. Carolina Rhodo-Each dendron. Early, free bloomer, with light	10	100	1,000
to deep pink flowers. Stro gly recom- mended for very exposed situations.			
2 to 6 inches Trans plants	\$2 FO	¢20, 00	\$185 00
3 to 6 inches. Trans. plants	\$2 50	\$20 00	\$100 00
6 to 12 inches. Trans. plants	4 50	40 00	
9 to 12 inches. XX heavy trans. clumps B&B.	40.00	00.00	050 00
Spread about equal to height\$1 25	10 00	90 00	850 00
1 to 1½ feet. XX heavy trans. specimen clumps			
B&B. Spread about equal to height 1 65	15 00	135 00	
$1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 feet. XX heavy trans. clumps B&B 2 25	20 00	185 00	
18 to 24 inches. Extra-grade coll. clumps B&B 1 25	10 00	90 00	875 00
2 to 3 feet. Extra-grade coll. clumps B&B 1 50	13 50	125 00	1200 00
3 to 4 feet. Extra-grade coll. clumps B&B 3 00	25 00		
carolinianum album. White Carolina Rhododen-			
dron. Dwarf early-blooming variety.	0 50		
3 to 6 inches. Trans. B&B 1 00	8 50		
catawbiense. Catawba Rhododendron. Vigorous			
free-blooming variety, with gorgeous dis-			
play of rosy purple flowers in May. By			
far the hardiest of all Rhododendrons.			
3 to 6 inches. Trans. plants	1 75	15 00	145 00
6 to 12 inches. Strong trans. plants	2 75	24 00	235 00
6 to 9 inches. XX heavy trans. clumps B&B.			
Spread about equal to height and bushy			
to the ground 1 00	8 50	80 00	750 00
9 to 12 inches. XXX grade specimen trans.	0 00	00 00	750 00
clumps B&B. Spread about equal to	12 50	125 00	1200 00
height and bushy to the ground 1 50	12 20	125 00	1200 00

HARDY NATIVE EVERGREEN TREES AND SH	IRUBS,	continue	d
Rhododendron catawbiense, continued 1 to 1½ feet. XXX quality trans. specimen Each	10	100	1,000
clumps B&B. Spread about equal to height and well developed in every way\$2 00 1½ to 2 feet. XXX quality trans. specimen	\$17 50	\$160 00	\$1500 00
clumps B&B and in every way highest standard in quality 2 50	22 50	215 00	2000 00
2 to 3 feet. X trans. clumps B&B	27 50 8 50	80 00	750 00
2 to 3 feet. X grade coll. clumps B&B 1 75	15 00	140 00	1350 00
NOTE.—Larger size collected clumps will be quoted on request. Our source of supply is, without question, the best in existence, and we are in position to handle large orders for this variety, which is by far superior to all Rhododendrons.			
maximum. Rosebay. Large clusters of pinkish			
white flowers in late June and early July. Highly recommended for mass planting			
and woodland development. 3 to 6 inches. Trans. plants	1 00	9 00	85 00
6 to 12 inches. Trans. plants	1 75	15 00	145 00
9 to 12 inches. XX heavy trans. clumps B&B. Spread about equal to height and bushy to			
the ground	8 50	80 00	775 00
clumps B&B. Spread about equal to			
height and in every way up to highest standard in quality	13 50	125 00	1200 00
$1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 feet. XXX trans. specimen clumps	13 30	129 00	1200 00
B&B and in every way quality that can be depended upon for best results	18 50	175 00	1700 00
2 to 3 feet. X trans. clumps B&B	22 00	200 00	
3 to 4 feet. X trans. clumps B&B	35 00 7 00	65 00	625 00
2 to 3 feet. X grade coll. clumps B&B	9 00 16 50	85 00 150 00	800 00 1450 00
3 to 4 feet. X grade coll. clumps B&B	30 00	275 00	2650 00
5 to 6 feet. XX grade coll. clumps B&B 5 00	45 00	425 00	
NOTE.—Very special prices consistent with quality promptly quoted on best collected clumps, for carload shipments not B&B. Always state which is wanted, nursery grown or collected stock.			
THUJA. Chinese Arborvitæ.			
3 to 4 feet. Select bushy trees B&B	35 00 40 00		
occidentalis. American Arborvitæ. 3 to 6 inches. Trans	1 50	12 50	115 00
6 to 9 inches. Strong trans	2 00	16 50	150 00
orientalis. Oriental Arborvitæ. 3 to 6 inches. Strong trans	3 50	30 00	
TSUGA canadensis. Canada Hemlock.			
3 to 6 inches. Trans	1 50 2 00	12 50 18 00	120 00 175 00
1 to 2 feet. Strong trans. B&B 1 00	8 50	80 00	775 00
2 to 3 feet. Good quality trans. B&B	18 50 32 50	175 00 320 00	
4 to 5 feet. Good quality trans. B&B 5 00	48 00		
5 to 6 feet. Good quality trans. B&B	60 00 75 00		
caroliniana. Carolina Hemlock. 3 to 6 inches. Nursery-grown seedlings		8 00	75 00
3 to 6 inches. Trans	1 75	15 00	145 00
6 to 12 inches. Trans	3 00 20 00	24 00 185 00	235 00
2 to 3 feet. Good quality trans. B&B 4 00	37 50	370 00	
3 to 4 feet. Good quality trans. B&B	50 00		



Hardy Vines, Climbers, and Cree	pers	
10	100	1,000
AMPELOPSIS engelmanni. Engelmann Creeper.	\$3 00	\$25 00
Strong coll. plantsquinquefolia. Virginia Creeper. Extra-heavy trans	\$3 00	\$27 OO
45 cts. each\$3 00	25 00	
ARISTOLOCHIA sipho. Dutchman's Pipe.		
1 to 3 feet. Strong trans	30 00	
CELASTRUS scandens. American Bittersweet.	46.00	
1 to 2 feet. Strong trans	16 00 22 00	
2 to 3 feet. Strong trans	20 00	
CLEMATIS crispa. Curly Clematis. Strong trans	25 00	
virginiana. Virgin's Bower. Hardy graceful climber.	25 00	
Extra-strong trans	12 50	100 00
DIOSCOREA villosa. Yam. Strong trans	7 00	65 00
EPIGÆA repens. Trailing Arbutus. Small coll. clumps 1 00	6 50	60 00
Strong coll. clumps	12 00	100 00
GALAX aphylla. Galax. One of our best evergreen ground-		
cover plants for shady locations. Extra-strong coll. clumps	6.50	60 00
	9 00	85 00
GAULTHERIA procumbens. Wintergreen. Strong clumps 1 25	9 00	69 00
IRIS cristata. Crested Iris. A grand ground-cover for shade or open locations. Extra-strong trans. clumps 1 00	8 00	75 00
germanica. German Iris. Strong trans. assorted colors 3 00	25 00	75 00
verna. Vernal Iris. X strong trans. clumps	9 00	85 00
LONICERA japonica halliana. Hall's Honeysuckle. Splendid		
for trellises and excellent ground-cover. Extra-strong trans	17 50	
Medium-size trans	10 00	90 00
MITCHELLA repens. Partridge Berry. A good evergreen		
ground-cover for shady places 1 25	9 00	85 00
PHLOX stolonifera (<i>P. reptans</i>). Creeping Phlox. A free-growing ground-cover for shady or open locations.		
growing ground-cover for shady or open locations.	0.00	0F 00
Collected clumps	9 00	85 00
garden. Medium-size trans. plants	12 50	120 00
SEDUM telephoides. Wild Live-forever. Extra-strong trans 2 00	18 00	
ternatum. Mountain Stonecrop.		
Extra-strong trans. clumps	9 00	85 00
SHORTIA galacifolia. Oconee Bells. Esteemed rare ever-		
green ground-cover, best suited to shade. Medium-size trans	8 00	75 00
Strong trans	15 00	145 00
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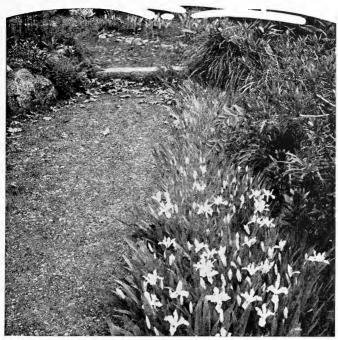
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Hardy Native Ferns

For shady locations, no class of plants can equal the Ferns. They are very easily grown in ordinary soils and will often thrive where it is impossible to make flowering plants succeed. I handle large quantities annually and highly recommend the following:

	10	100	1,000
ADIANTUM pedatum. American Maidenhair Fern. Deciduous. One of the most distinct and beautiful species.			
Strong trans	\$1 00	\$6 00	\$50 00
ASPLENIUM angustifolium. Strong trans	1 75	15 00	
ATHYRIUM filixfemina. Lady Fern. Large, deciduous, and			
exceedingly showy. Strong trans	1 00	8 00	75 00
BOTRYCHIUM virginianum. Rattlesnake Fern.			
Deciduous. Strong trans	1 00	9 00	85 00
DICKSONIA punctilobula. Hay-scented Fern. A very hand- some, vigorous-growing species. Good for shade			
or open locations. Extra-strong trans. clumps	1 00	7 00	60 00
DRYOPTERIS goldiana. Goldie Fern. Strong transhexagonoptera. Winged Woodfern. Deciduous.	1 75	15 00	
Strong trans	1 25	8 00	75 00
Extra-strong trans	1 - 00	7 00	65 00
spinulosa. Toothed Woodfern. Strong trans	1 00	7 00	65 00
ONOCLEA sensibilis. Sensitive Fern. Deciduous. Suitable for dry or moist locations. Strong trans	1 00	8 00	65 00
OSMUNDA cinnamomea. Cinnamon Fern. A stately, large,			
deciduous grower. Extra-strong transclaytoniana. Interrupted Fern. Deciduous; bold and	1 00	7 50	70 00
attractive grower. Extra-strong trans	1 00	8 50	80 00
regalis. Royal Fern. Large; deciduous; bearing attractive	1 00	0.50	90.00
foliage. Extra-strong trans	1 00	8 50	80 00
POLYPODIUM vulgare. Common Polypody. A charming little evergreen Fern. Excellent for rockery.			
Strong coll. clumps	1 25	10 00	85 00
POLYSTICHUM acrostichoides. Christmas Fern. Ever-	,		
green and extremely ornamental.			-0.00
Strong trans. plants	75	6 00	50 00
PTERETIS nodulosa. Ostrich Fern. Very strong; deciduous.	2 50	20 00	180 00
XX heavy trans	2 50	20 00	100 00
PTERIDIUM aquilinum. Bracken. Deciduous. Tall; strong-growing. Strong coll. plants	75	5 00	45 00

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Iris cristata See page 13

Hardy Aquatic and Bog Plants

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10	100	1,000
ACORUS calamus. Sweet Flag. Strong trans	\$7 00	\$65 00
ASTER puniceus. Swamp Aster. Lilac-blue; tall-growing.		
Extra-strong trans	7 00	60 00
CALTHA palustris. Marsh Marigold. Strong trans 1 75	15 00	
CHELONE glabra. White Turtlehead. Strong trans 1 00	8 00	75 00
lyoni. Pink Turtlehead. Strong trans	8 00	75 00
CICUTA maculata. Spotted Water Hemlock. Strong trans 1 00	7 00	65 00
DIONÆA muscipula. Venus' Flytrap. A strange and most		
unusual plant that captures flies and other insects		
for food. Strong plants	17 50	170 00
HEMEROCALLIS fulva. Tawny Day Lily. Strong trans 1 75	15 00	
IRIS pseudacorus. Yellow Flag; Large Sword-leaf Iris.		
Extra-strong trans	16 00	
versicolor. Blue Flag. Strong trans	12 50	110 00
MERTENSIA virginica. Virginia Bluebells.		
Strong trans	15 00	125 00
MONARDA didyma. Oswego Bee Falm. Strong trans 1 00	7 00	60 00
SARRACENIA flava. Trumpet Pitcher Plant. Strong trans. 1 75	15 00	
purpurea. Common Pitcher Plant. Strong trans	15 00	
SAXIFRAGA virginiensis. Virginia Saxifrage.		
Strong trans	12 00	110 00
TYPHA latifolia. Common Cat-tail. Strong coll. plants 1 00	7 00	65 00
VACCINIUM macrocarpon. Cranberry.		
Strong coll. plants 1 00	7 00	60 00
VERATUM viride. American False Hellebore.		
Extra-strong trans	15 00	145 00



Cypripedium spectabile

Hardy Native Orchids

CALOPOGON pulchellus. Grass-pink Orchid. 10 Strong trans. \$1 25	100 \$10 00	1,000 \$90 00
CYPRIPEDIUM acaule. Pink Lady's-slipper. Medium-size trans. plants	5 00 15 00 15 00 6 00	45 00 145 00 145 00 55 00
spectabile. Showy Lady's-slipper. White to rose-colored flowers. A strong grower in peat soils and shady bogs. By far the best of all Cypripediums. We carry a large stock on hand and are prepared to fill all early orders.		
X strong trans. 1 to 3 flowering crowns to each clump. 3 00 XX strong trans. 4 to 6 flowering crowns to each clump. Each, \$1.2510 00	26 00 90 00	250 00
HABENARIA ciliaris. Yellow Fringe Orchid. Very popular for rockery. Strong trans	15 00 17 50	145 00
psycodes. Small Purple Fringe Orchid. Strong trans	15 00	145 00
ORCHIS spectabilis. Showy Orchis. Best adapted to shady locations. Strong trans	12 50	

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Dicentra eximia

Hardy Native Lilies and Bulbous Plants

ARISÆMA triphyllum. Jack-in-the-pulpit. 10 Extra-strong trans. \$1 00	100 \$8 00	1,000 \$75 00
CONVALLARIA majalis. Lily-of-the-Valley. Strong trans	6 00	55 00
DICENTRA eximia. Fringed Bleeding Heart. Graceful fern-like foliage and deep rose flowers, nodding in slender scape-like racemes all summer. A splendid		
rock-garden subject. Medium size trans	8 00 16 00	75 00 150 00
ERYTHRONIUM americanum. American Trout Lily. Never large. Strong trans	4 50	40 00
LILIUM canadense. Canada Lily. Slender stems 2 to 4 feet high. Flowers in various shades of orange, yellow, and red. Very ornamental.		
Strong trans. flowering-size bulbs1 75Strong trans. second-size bulbs1 00	15 00 7 00	145 00 65 00
carolinianum. Carolina Lily. Height 3 to 4 feet. Flowers orange-red and very fragrant. No Lily collection complete without this rare variety.	22.00	200 00
Strong first-size flowering bulbs2 50Strong second-size flowering bulbs1 25	22 00 11 00	200 00 100 00
grayi. Gray's Lily. Height 2 to 4 feet. A beautiful Lily, with deep reddish bell-shaped flowers, orange spotted within. Exceedingly showy and continues to grow in demand. We have a large stock on hand and solicit early orders.		
First-size flowering bulbs	$\begin{array}{c} 11 & 00 \\ 6 & 00 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{ccc} 10 & 00 \\ 0 & 00 \end{array}$



Lilium superbum

HARDY NATIVE LILIES AND BUILBOUS PLANTS continued

HARDY NATIVE LILIES AND BULBOUS PLANTS, co	ontinued	
10	100	1,000
Lilium philadelphicum. Orange-cup Lily. Height 1½ to 3 feet in growing season. Reddish orange flowers with purple spots. Flowering-size bulbs\$1 75	\$14 00	
regale. Royal Lily. Large, white, attractive, fragrant flowers. Finest novelty of the Lily family.		
Strong established flowering bulbs Each, 75 cts 6 00	50 00	
superbum. American Turk's- ap Lily. Height 4 to 8 feet. Flowers with dark purple spots, inside of bright orange. The finest and most-used American Lily for massing among shrubbery and in border plantings. Often more than forty large flowers on a single stem. We are headquarters for this famous Lily. Early orders solicited. Have more than 300,000 to offer for fall delivery.		
XX largest select bulbs	25 00	
First-size extra-select flowering bulbs	8 50	\$80 00
Second-size mostly flowering bulbs 65	4 00	35 00
Third-size. Splendid bargain for growing on	2 50	20 00



Trillium grandiflorum

HARDY NATIVE LILIES AND BULBOUS PLANTS, continued

	10	100	1,000
TRILLIUM erectum. Purple Trillium. Large; very orna-			
mental; 9 to 18 inches high in growing season.			
Large red fruit. Flowers brown to purple. Early,			
vigorous spring bloomer. Large stock ready for			
fall delivery.			
Extra-strong first-size bulbs\$	0 65	\$3 00	\$25 00
Extra-strong second-size bulbs. Will bloom first season		1 25	10 00
grandiflorum. Snow Trillium. The finest and largest			
species. Flowers 2 to 3 inches across, white turn-			
ing to rose-color. One of our best early spring			
bloomers. This plant flourishes and blooms to			
perfection in woodland and border plantings and			
cannot be recommended too highly for general			
planting. Early orders solicited. We have more			
than 150,000 strong bulbs for autumn delivery.			
XXX largest size, unusually heavy	1 25	6 00	50 00
XX first-size strong bulbs	75	3 00	20 00
Strong second-size bulbs, extra value	50	1 25	9 00
stylosum. Rose Trillium. Grows 10 to 18 inches high in			
season. Large, rose-pink, nodding flowers. Rare			
and beautiful southern species.	4 00	5.00	45.00
Strong flowering-size bulbs		5 00	45 00
Second-size, splendid bargain	50	2 50	20 00
undulatum. Painted Trillium. A very strong, vigorous			
grower. Earliest bloomer of all our native Trilliums.			
Large flowers with scarlet markings.	70	4.00	35.00
XX strong first-size bulbs	75 60	4 00 1 75	13 50
Second-size flowering bulbs	00	1 /2	15 50



Hepatica

Hardy Native Herbaceous Perennials

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ACONITUM uncinatum. Clambering Monkshood.	10	100	1,000
Strong established plants	.\$1 25	\$9 00	\$85 00
ACTÆA alba. White Baneberry. Strong trans. plants		9 00	85 00
rubra. Red Baneberry. Strong trans. plants	1 50	12 50	110 00
ARALIA racemosa. American Spikenard.			
Strong trans. plants	. 1 25	9 00	85 00
ARUNCUS sylvester. Goat'sbeard.			
Strong trans. plants	. 1 25	9 00	85 00
ASARUM shuttleworthi. Mottled Wild Ginger.			
Strong trans. clumpy plants	. 1 50	12 00	$110 \ 00$
ASCLEPIAS incarnata. Swamp Milkweed.			
Extra-strong trans. plants		10 00	
tuberosa. Butterfly Weed. Strong trans. plants	1 50	12 50	110 00
BAPTISIA tinctoria. Yellow Wild Indigo.			
Extra-strong trans. clumpy plants	1 50	12 50	$110 \ 00$
CAMPANULA divaricata. North Carolina Harebell.			
Strong trans. plants		9 00	85 00
CAREX fraseri. Fraser Sedge. Rare, broad-leaved evergreer ground-cover. Best suited to shade. Rare species			
Extra-strong trans. plants.		17 50	
CAULOPHYLLUM thalictroides. Blue Cohosh.			
Strong trans. plants	75	6 00	50 00
CHAMÆLIRIUM luteum. Fairy Wand.			
Strong trans. plants	. 75	6 00	50 00
CIMICIFUGA americana. American Bugbane.			
Extra-strong trans. stocky plants	1 00	8 00	75 00
racemosa. Cohosh Bugbane.	4 00	6.00	5 0.00
Extra-strong trans. stocky plants		6 00	50 00
CLINTONIA borealis. Bluebead. Strong trans. plants	1 00	7 50	70 00
umbellulata. Speckled Clintonia. Strong trans. plants	1 00	7 00	65 00
	1 00	7 00	05 00
COREOPSIS lanceolata. Lance Coreopsis. Strong trans. clumpy plants	1.00	7 50	65 00
Strong trans. Clumpy plants	1 00	1 50	00 00

DIPHYLLEIA cymosa. Umbrella Leaf. 10 100 1,000 Extra-strong trans. plants. \$1 00 \$8 00 \$75 0	
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DISPORUM lanuginosum. Fairy Bells.	
Extra-strong trans. plants	Ю
DODECATHEON latilobum. Western species.	
Strong trans. plarts	
meadia. Common Shooting-star. Very showy pink and	
purple flowers. Strong trans. plants	
EUPATORIUM purpureum. Joe-pye Weed.	
Strong trans, elumps	Ю
EUPHORBIA corollata. Flowering Spurge.	
Strong trans. plants	
Strong trans. plants	0
GILLENIA trifoliata. Bowman's-root.	J.O
Extra-strong trans. plants	ν).
HELENIUM autumnale. Common Sneezeweed.	U
Extra-strong trans. elumps	ю
HEPATICA acutiloba. Sharp-lobe Hepatica.	
Strong trans. plants	Ю
triloba. Round-lobe Hepatiea. Strong trans. plants 1 25 9 00 85 0	
HEUCHERA americana. American Alumroot. Large,	
velvety, evergreen, lobed leaves; suitable for rock-	
garden. Extra-strong trans. clumpy plants 1 25 9 00 85 0	00
villosa. Hairy Alumroot. Recommended for rockery.	
Strong trans. plants	<i>i</i> ()
HOUSTONIA purpurea. Mountain Houstonia.	
Extra-strong trans. elumpy plants	(O
HYDRASTIS canadensis. Golden Seal. A famous medicinal	
herb of great value. We have a large stock of this	
on hand and solieit early orders for following sizes:	
One-year strong trans. plants	
Two-year strong trans. plants	
NOTE.—Very special price will be quoted promptly on large orders	,



Sanguinaria canadensis. See page 22



Smilacina racemosa (False Solomon's Seal)

IRIS kaempferi. Japanese Iris. Finest species. Assorted 10 colors. Strong trans. plants\$2 50	100 \$20 00	1,000
LOBELIA cardinalis. Cardinal Flower. Strong trans. plants	9 00	\$85 00
Strong trans. plants	8 00	75 00
PANAX quinquefolium. American Ginseng. Known as the great Chinese medicinal herb, and becoming rare and very scarce. We have large stock on hand for autumn delivery and solicit early orders for plants and seeds.		
Two-year strong nursery-grown	6 00 11 00	50 00 100 00
PODOPHYLLUM peltatum. Common May Apple. White-flowering, shade-loving plants.		
Strong trans. plants	6 00	50 00
POLYGONATUM commutatum. Great Solomon's Seal. Extra-strong trans. plants	7 00	60 00
POTENTILLA tridentata. Wineleaf Cinquefoil. Delicate and desirable rock-garden subject. Strong trans. plants	15 00	
SANGUINARIA canadensis. Bloodroot. Extra-strong trans. plants	5 00	40 00
SAXIFRAGA michauxi. Michaux Saxifrage. Alpine variety. Rare. Strong trans. plants	20 00	
SILENE stellata. Starry Campion. Strong trans. plants	8 00	75 00
virginica.Fire Pink. Very showy crimson flowers.Strong trans. plants	13 50 7 00	120 00 65 00
SMILACINA racemosa. False Solomon's Seal. Strong trans. plants	7 00	65 00
SOLIDAGO odora. Fragrant Goldenrod. Extra-strong trans. plants	9 00	85 00



Violets

HARDY NATIVE HERBACEOUS PERENNIALS, continued

TIME THE TEMPACEOUS TEMENTIALS, COM	inueu	
STENANTHIUM robustum. Feather Fleece. Long, white, 10 delicate flowers, on stems 3 to 5 feet high in midsummer. Extremely ornamental and altogether one of our finest perennials. Thrives in damp situations as well as in drier soil.	100	1,000
Strong first-size trans. plants\$1 25	\$9 00	\$85 00
Strong second-size trans. plants	5 00	45 00
Strong third-size trans. plants	3 00	25 00
UVULARIA perfoliata. Wood Merrybells.	3 00	22 00
Strong trans. plants	7.00	65 00
sessilifolia. Little Merrybells. Strong trans. plants 1 00	7 00	65 00
VERNONIA noveboracensis. Common Ironweed.	. ,,,	.,,
Extra-strong trans. clumpy plants	11 00	100 00
VIOLA blanda. Sweet White Violet. Strong trans. clumps 1 00	6.00	50.00
cucullata. Blue Marsh Violet.	0 00	20 00
Extra-strong trans. plants	6 00	50 00
hastata. Halberd-leaved Yellow Violet.		
Strong trans. plants 1 00	7 00	65 00
pedata. Bird's-foot Violet. Strong trans. plants 1 00	7 50	65 00
Light trans. plants	4 00	35 00
pedata bicolor. Two-color Bird's-foot Violet. Velvety		
light blue and purple. Rare, desirable species.	12 50	110.00
Strong trans. plants	12 50	110 00
leaves and yellow flowers in early spring.		
Strong trans. plants	7 00	65 00
sagittata. Arrowleaf Violet. Strong trans. plants 1 00	8 00	75 00
XEROPHYLLUM asphodeloides. Turkey's Beard.		
Extra-strong established clumps	17 50	165 00
YUCCA filamentosa. Common Yucca.		
Extra-strong clumpy plants	30.00	
Strong three-year plants	11 00	100 00
flaccida. Weak-leaf Yucca.	00	30
Strong three-year plants from the West	16 00	150 00

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Pieris floribunda, Azaleas, Rhododendrons, Kalmias, Oxydendrum, Leucothoë Catesbæi, Tsugas, Zanthorhiza, Leiophyllums, Iris, Shortia, Ferns, Orchids, Dicentra, Liliums, Trilliums, and Stenanthium



Kalmia latifolia. See page 8

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